

## **GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

### **ABSTRACT**

P.S - Irrigation & CAD Department – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer(Retd.) for his irregularities in the execution of the work relating to Velugodo Balancing Reservoir of T.G.P. – Punishment awarded – Appeal petition filed – Revised punishment orders - Issued.

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### **IRRIGATION & CAD (SER.VII.(V&E)A.1) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No. 452**

**Dated: 20-04-2010**  
**Read the following:**

1. G.O. Ms. No. 24 I&CAD (CAD SERVICES. II-1) Dept.,  
Dated:11-02-2004.
2. O.A.No.1781/2006 filed by Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy.EE(Retd.)
3. From the Asst. Registrar, Hon'ble APAT in its order Dt.  
25-07-2009 in O.A.No.1781/2006.
4. From Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy.EE(Retd.) representation Dt.  
25-8-2009 & 1-12-2009.
5. Govt. Lr. No.12374/Ser.VII(V&E)A.1/1994-107, Dt.  
20-01-2010.
6. From Secretary, APPSC Lr.No.304/RT-I/1/2010,  
Dt. 30-3-2010.

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### **ORDER:**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, orders were issued imposing a penalty of 50% cut in pension permanently against Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer(Retd.), for the irregularities/lapses committed in the construction of Velugodu Balancing Reservoir Earth Dam of TGP Circle, Nandyal.

2. Aggrieved by the above orders, in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer (Retd.) has approached the APAT by filing OA No1781/2006.

3. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, the Hon'ble APAT, in its orders dt.25.07.2009, has passed the following orders.

**“ In the circumstances mentioned by the Applicant, this Tribunal is of the opinion that cut of 50% pension permanently is on higher side and the Respondents can consider for imposing a lesser punishment on the Applicant and the matter can be remanded back to the Respondents for the same. While holding that the Applicant was found guilty rightly by the Enquiring Authority and rightly it was accepted by the Government, the matter is remanded to the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent for considering reduction in the punishment imposed against the applicant by reducing the cut in pension from 50% to a lesser percentage. Thus, the matter is remanded back to the 1<sup>st</sup> respondent only to consider the percentage of reduction of cut in pension and for passing appropriate orders within a period of 4 weeks from the date of receipt of this order”**

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4. In his representation 4<sup>th</sup> read above, Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer (Retd.), has stated that the charges framed against him and Sri S. Konda Reddy, Asst. Engineer were akin, who worked in the reach after my transfer and he has been awarded with a penalty of 50% cut in pension, where as Sri S. Konda Reddy, Asst. Engineer has been awarded with a penalty of 2% cut in pension for (3) years. Finally he has requested that taking into consideration of the above points, he may be awarded with a penalty equivalent to the penalty awarded to Sri S. Konda Reddy, Asst. Engineer, i.e 2% cut in pension for a period of (3) years, as the charges framed against him are similar to that of Sri S. Konda Reddy, Asst. Engineer (Retd.).

5. After careful examination of the entire issue, it has been decided to modify the punishment orders of 50% cut in pension imposed on Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer (Retd) vide reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above to that of 2% cut in pension for a period of (3) years, equivalent to the penalty awarded to Sri S. Konda Reddy, Asst. Engineer. Accordingly in the reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above, the Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad was requested to communicate the concurrence of the Commission on the decision of the Govt.

6. In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above, the Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad has informed that the Commission has agreed to the proposal of the Govt. to modify the punishment as decided.

7. Accordingly, Government hereby order that the penalty of 50% cut in pension imposed on Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer(Retd.) in the G.O. 1<sup>st</sup> read above, is reduced to that of 2% cut in pension for a period of three(3) years.

8. The Engineer-in-Chief(AW) , I&CAD Department, Hyderabad shall take necessary action for release of pensionary benefits of the individual.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**S.P. TUCKER  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
Sri D. Hampaiah, Dy. Executive Engineer (Retd.) **(Through)** the Engineer-in-Chief(AW) , I&CAD Department, Hyderabad .  
The Engineer-in-Chief(AW) , I&CAD Department, Hyderabad  
The I&CAD (Ser.I) Department.  
Copy to:  
The Government Pleader for Irrigation **w.r.t. O.A.No.1781 of 2006.**  
The General Administration (V&E) Department.  
The Secretary, A.P., VC, Hyderabad.  
The Secretary, APPSC, Hyderabad.  
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**//FORWARDED : BY ORDER//**

**SECTION OFFICER**

